

ABSTRACT

There is provided an information recording device used for receiving digital broadcast and recording it. The information recording device may assuredly detect lack of information indicating a discontinuous point of a program in information to be recorded and record the information in a correct program configuration. When recording a partial TS, which includes a plurality of events and outputted from a set top box, into a recording device, an event reference number flag designating an event output sequence is extracted from the input while the number of events actually, inputted as partial TS, are counted. The calculation result is compared to the event number designated by the event reference number flag. When the calculated result is different from the event number, it is recognized that the event border information lacks and a partial TS is inputted.